



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, the rehabilitation, training, employment, and acceptance of all individuals with disabilities is an important goal that deserves support from all members of the community; and

WHEREAS, through education, the accessibility needs of our citizens with disabilities for successful employment, adequate housing, and recreational opportunities are becoming better understood; and

WHEREAS, accessibility for persons with disabilities, while improving, is still an issue in all communities and continues to need our attention; and

WHEREAS, persons with disabilities can become productive employees and contributing members to the community and society if given the opportunity; and

WHEREAS, all citizens must recognize the worth and skills of community members with disabilities and assist to remove all barriers that prevent our citizens with disabilities from reaching their fullest potential and achieving success;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim October 2003, to be

DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT AWARENESS MONTH

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this seventeenth day of October in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Ben Ysursa in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

BEN YSURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE